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REFERENCE TO "HARRY'S" PLAN, AND TO INSTRUCTIONS
OF "UCN/30" AND THE "HOUSE" (1943)

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art I] Reference No. 1545[a].

At present "HARRY's [GARRI]" [i] plan consists in getting a postponement of the decision

[46 groups unrecovered]

[0% following contents]:

- (a) he has [2 groups unrecovered] capacity of a consultant at the hospital; [ii]
- (b) he has placed a friend of his in the hospital in the role of patient in order to watch the project[iii] from within;

(0)

[58 groups unrecoverable]

[1 group unrecovered], if we [3 groups unrecovered], but if not - immediately inform him of this. As yet no instructions at all have been received from you on this question (our No. 305[a])

Questions of [3 groups unrecovered], cover, means of conveyance, [C% method] of getting across [PEREBROSKA] and so forth were decided by "[UCN/30]"[iv] (since he recommended these decisions to HARRY and JUAN[KhUAN][v]

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[15 groups unrecoverable] the ISLAND[OSTROV] [vi] and the COUNTRY[STRANA][vii]

[64 groups unrecovered]

of JUAN

[19 groups unrecovered]

ANITA [viii] and JUAN

[55 groups unrecoverable]

Part II] LUKA [ix] in this matter according to the instructions of [UCN/30] and the HOUSE[DOM][x]

[15 groups unrecovered]

JUAN in the COUNTRYSIDE[DEREVNYa][xi]

[30 groups unrecovered]

and full responsibility for [5 groups unrecoverable].

LUKA has already drawn your attention to the fact that the project [iii] is [1 group unrecovered] extremely slowly,

[12 groups unrecovered]

with regard to the unsuitable

[55 groups unrecovered]

in the project [iii] he

[56 groups unrecovered]

LUKA's [C% proposal]

[20 groups unrecovered]

operational worker -

[20 groups unrecovered]

not possible. On the basis

[33 groups unrecoverable],

transmit all [0% financial]

[52 groups unrecovered]

[C% UCN/30]. Personal liaison

[40 groups unrecovered]

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Note: [a] Not available.

[iii] project

Comments: [i] HARRY : Jacob EPSTEIN.

[ii] hospital: This is sometimes used as a cover-word for "prison",

and was so used in two MEXICO CITY messages about the

GNOME project, i.e.

No. 229 of 2.4.44

No. 173 of 9.3.45

: Possibly the GNOME project i.e. the attempt to secure

Jacques MORNARD's escape, with which HARRY is known to have been connected; see MOSCOW to MEXICO CITY No. 511

of 24.8.44

[iv] UCN/30 : Unidentified cover-name.

[v] JUAN : Possibly Juan GAYTAN GODOY.

[vi] ISLAND : GREAT BRITAIN.

[vii] COUNTRY : UNITED STATES of AMERICA.

[viii] ANITA : Unidentified cover-name.

[ix] LUKA : Pavel P. KLARIN, Soviet Vice-Consul in NEW YORK.

[x] HOUSE : MGB Headquarters in MOSCOW.

[xi] COUNTRYSIDE : MEXICO.